

INVENTORY.

39309. MANGIFERA INDICA L. Anacardiaceæ. Mango.

From Punjab, India. Presented by Mr. A. H. Brydges, Loomis, Cal.
Received at the Plant Introduction Field Station, Chico, Cal.

"Seeds from the village of Aliwal, District of Jhalandar, Punjab, India. They are the earliest fruiting varieties in that locality, ripening in August."
(*Brydges.*)

39310 to 39313. HOLCUS SORGHUM L. Poaceæ. Sorghum.
(*Sorghum vulgare Pers.*)

From Hamburg, Germany. Presented by the Botanische Staats-Institut.

39310. From German East Africa.

39311. From Kamerun.

39312. From Togo.

39313. From German East Africa.

39314. DOLICHOS LABLAB L. Fabaceæ. Bonavist bean.

From Mbale Sana, Lumbwa, British East Africa. Presented by Mrs. E. L. Smith. Received October 3, 1914.

"*Njai*, a Kikuyu bean much liked and valued by the natives." (*Mrs. Smith.*)

39315 to 39317.

From Boulder, Colo. Presented by Mr. Theo. D. A. Cockerell. Received October 1, 1914. Quoted notes by Mr. Cockerell, except as otherwise indicated.

39315 and 39316. PENTSTEMON HUMILIS Nutt. Scrophulariaceæ.

"From Flagstaff Hill." Low-branching perennial occurring in the Rocky Mountains and westward. It is well suited for the hardy border, but does not usually grow higher than 6 inches. The flowers, which are one-half inch in length, are rather narrow and of a deep-blue color, sometimes ranging to white. It grows well in fairly good soil. The flower stalks should be supported by light stakes to keep them from being blown about by the winds or borne down by heavy waterings. (Adapted from *Bailey, Cyclopedia of American Horticulture*, and *McLaren, Gardening in California.*)

39315. "A very beautiful variation with bright blue flowers, a different shade of color from the normal. It may have to be taken to the F² generation to show its true colors."

39316. "A variety with very pale flowers. Probably will not appear with pale color until the F² generation.